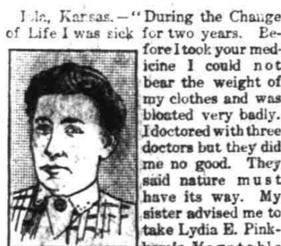


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trade, commerce and industry of the Territory of Hawaii, and to assist in the development of its material resources and manufactures; to inculcate just and equitable principles in trade and adjust controversies between its members; to aid in promoting the passage of beneficial laws for the City of Honolulu and the said territory; to acquire, preserve and disseminate business information, and generally to secure to its members the benefits of co-operation in the furtherance of their legitimate pursuits.

**Article II—Membership.**  
Section 1. Any person doing business or owning property within the Territory of Hawaii, or who is actively interested in the welfare and advancement of the city or Honolulu or said territory, who shall have been duly elected in the manner hereinafter provided, may become a member of this association.

Section 2. Each applicant for membership shall make written application, through the secretary, to the committee on membership, endorsed by two members of the chamber, stating his name, age, vocation and place of residence, and agreeing to conform to the by-laws, rules and regulations of the chamber.

Section 3.—Applicants recommended by the committee on membership shall be reported to the board of directors at the next regular meeting thereof, when a ballot of the board shall take place, and the candidate shall be declared to be admitted to membership unless three negative votes shall appear against him; in which case he cannot again be proposed for membership during the ensuing twelve months.

Section 4. The admission fee of members shall be twenty dollars, payable in advance, and the monthly dues shall be two dollars and fifty cents per month, quarterly in advance. Any member who shall fail to pay the monthly dues for three consecutive months, shall, after receiving ten days' notice and failing to pay arrears, cease to be a member of this association.

Section 5. Every person elected to membership as herein provided shall, upon payment of his admission fee and dues, be given a membership card, in such form as may be prescribed by the board of directors.

Section 6. All resignations from membership shall be made after a payment is due, the member presenting it shall not be relieved from liability for the outstanding indebtedness.

**Article III—Officers and Directors.**  
Section 1. The officers of the chamber shall be a president, a first vice-president, a second vice-president, a secretary and a treasurer, all of whom shall be directors and elected annually by the board of directors, and shall hold office until the next annual meeting and until their successors are chosen.

Section 2. The board of directors shall consist of twenty-one members elected as hereinafter provided. Any vacancies occurring in the board of directors may be filled by the remaining members of the board, such director to serve until the next annual meeting.

Section 3. Every former president of the chamber who shall have served his full term of office, shall, by virtue of the office once held, be a member of the board of directors with full powers, in addition to the regularly elected twenty-one directors.

**Article IV—Duties of Directors.**  
Section 1. The board of directors shall have the management of the affairs of the chamber, and shall direct its commercial, industrial, public and financial policies, subject to such instructions as may be given at duly called meetings of the chamber.

Section 2. Regular meetings of the board of directors shall be held on the second Wednesday in each and every month. Special meetings of the board may be called by the president at any time, or by not less than three directors.

Section 3. At all meetings of the board of directors, eleven members shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. The board of directors may adopt or amend rules and regulations for the government and proper business conduct of the chamber, not inconsistent with the by-laws of the chamber.

Section 5. The board of directors shall submit at each annual meeting a report of the condition and finances of the chamber, together with a review of its activities for the preceding year.

**Article V—Duties of Officers.**

Section 1. The president shall preside at the meetings of the chamber and of the directors. He shall, at the annual meetings of the chamber and at such other times as he shall deem proper, communicate to the chamber or to the directors such matters, and make such suggestions as may tend to promote the prosperity and increase the usefulness of the chamber. He shall perform such other duties as pertain to the office of president.

Section 2. In the absence of the president, the first vice-president shall perform the duties of the president; and, in the absence of the president and first vice-president, the second vice-president shall perform the duties of the president and both vice-presidents, the board of directors shall designate a director to perform such duties.

Section 3. The secretary shall be in charge of the administrative work of the chamber, and shall perform such duties as may be defined by the directors. He shall be ex officio a member of all committees. He shall nominate for appointment all employees of the chamber, and shall have personal supervision of their work, subject to the approval of the board of directors. He shall supervise and direct the compilation of statistics and information of commercial, industrial and public interests, as the board of directors may order. He shall keep the records of the chamber, preserve the books, documents and communications, and keep an accurate record of the meetings of the chamber, the directors and all committees. He shall, personally, or by deputy, act as secretary of all committees of the chamber. The accounts of the chamber shall be kept by the secretary in proper books belonging to the chamber, which books shall be at all times open for the inspection by the board of directors of the committee on finance and audit. He shall collect all monies due to the chamber, giving proper receipt therefor, and deposit same to the credit of the treasurer in a bank to be approved by the board of directors. He shall also draw warrants for the expenditure of money, the same to be signed by the treasurer; keep a record of all receipts and disbursements; conduct the correspondence, and perform such other duties as the board of directors may prescribe. At the expiration of his term of office, he shall deliver to the board of directors all books, papers and property of the chamber in his possession.

Section 4. The treasurer shall have deposited in his name with a bank to be approved by the board of directors all monies received by the secretary, and shall disburse the same on warrants drawn by the secretary. He shall register all warrants issued, and keep a careful record of the same, and shall have the custody of all bonds and securities belonging to the chamber. He shall communicate to the board of directors, executive committee, or the committee on finance and audit any information that may be required at any time, and at least once every month the state of the treasury in detail. He shall render an annual report to the board of directors, which shall be audited by the committee on finance and audit before presentation. The funds, books, vouchers and securities in his hands shall, at all times, be under the supervision of the board of directors, and subject to their inspection and control. He shall, at the expense of the chamber, furnish and maintain a bond, with a surety of sureties satisfactory to the board of directors, for the faithful performance of his duties, and in such penal sum as they may direct; and perform such other duties as the board of directors may prescribe. At the expiration of his term of office, he shall transfer all funds, books, papers and other property of the chamber in his possession to his successor. In the absence of the treasurer, checks, drafts and other orders for the payment of money shall be signed by the president or by a vice-president.

**Article VI—Meetings.**  
Section 1. There shall be a regular meeting of the chamber on the third Wednesday of each alternate month.

Section 2. The annual meeting of the chamber shall be on the third Tuesday in March in each year.

Section 3. Thirty members shall constitute a quorum at any regular or special meeting of the chamber.

Section 4. The hours of meeting shall be fixed by the board of directors.

Section 5. The order of business at all regular meetings shall be as follows:

- Call to order.
- Reading minutes.
- Reports of officers.
- Reports of standing committees.
- Reports of special committees.
- Communications.
- Unfinished business.
- New business.
- Elections.
- Adjournments.

Section 6. Meetings of committees may be called at any time by the president or by the chairman of such committees.

Section 7. Special meetings of the chamber may be called by the president, or upon the written request of ten members.

Section 8. At all special meetings of the chamber, only such business as the meeting was called to consider shall be discussed or acted upon.

Section 9. Upon motion of any member, the chamber may, by a two-thirds vote of those present at a meeting, go into executive session.

Section 10. No member shall be permitted to speak more than twice, or longer than ten minutes each time, on any one subject, except by a two-thirds vote of those present at a meeting.

Section 11. No one but a member shall address the chamber, except by unanimous consent.

Section 12. No member shall read or offer for action any communication, report or resolution that has not previously been considered by the board of directors without first making a general statement of the subject matter thereof.

Section 13. Should five members object to immediate consideration of a question by the chamber, the same shall be referred to an advisory committee of three, to be immediately appointed by the presiding officer. After hearing and statements the member offering or the members objecting may desire to make, said advisory committee shall report back to the same meeting of the chamber with a recommendation that the question be acted upon at once, referred for future action, or laid on the table.

Section 14. Sections 12 and 13 shall not apply to any communication, report, or resolution submitted by the board of directors, which shall be acted upon without reference.

**Article VII—Nominations and Elections.**  
Section 1. At least ten days prior to an annual election, the president shall appoint a committee of seven members to present the names of forty members of the Chamber arranged in alphabetical order, of whom twenty shall be elected as a board of directors for the ensuing year.

Section 2. The nominations made by the committee of seven, or a majority of them, shall be handed to the secretary at least five days before the day of election. Other members of the association may also make nominations for directors; provided, such nominations are handed to the secretary at least five days before the election.

Section 3. The secretary shall bring nominations to the notice of all members by mail, or as otherwise directed by the board of directors, as early as possible, and not later than two days before the day of election.

**Article VIII—Election of Directors.**  
Section 1. The board of directors shall be selected by ballot at the annual meeting of the chamber.

Section 2. Candidates to be elected must receive a majority of all the votes cast at the election. The election of the directors shall be held at a place designated by the board of directors, and be in charge of and under the supervision of a committee of not less than three members appointed by the president.

Section 3. When a director has failed to attend three consecutive meetings of the board without leave of absence his office may be declared vacant by the board of directors.

**Article IX—Committees.**  
Section 1. The president shall, within thirty days after his election by and with the consent of the board of directors, appoint the following standing committees of five members each, unless otherwise specified in the by-laws; the members of such committees to serve until the next annual meeting and election.

- (a) From the board of directors. Executive.
- Finance and audit.
- Chairman to be a member of the board of directors.
- Trade, commercial and industrial development.
- Maritime affairs.
- Agriculture.
- Public utilities.
- County and municipal affairs.
- Territorial affairs.
- Public finance, taxation and insurance.
- Public health and sanitation.
- Legislation.
- Charities and social welfare.
- Membership.
- Reception and entertainment.
- (c) Not members of board of directors.

Section 2. No member, other than a member of the executive committee, shall serve on more than two standing committees at the same time, and in the case of a member of the executive committee, he shall be permitted to serve on two additional standing committees only.

Section 3. A majority of the members of each standing and special committee shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. All standing and special committees are prohibited from hindering the chamber in any action without obtaining approval of the board of directors. Copies of all correspondence conducted by all committees in connection with the work of the chamber and all documents shall be transferred to the chamber for its information and file. Reports of all committees must be submitted in writing to the board of directors and filed in the archives of the Chamber.

Section 5. The board of directors shall have power to exercise its discretion in discharging any of the standing and special committees for failure to carry out its duties, and the President shall appoint, subject to the approval of the Board of Directors, new members of any committees so discharged.

Section 6. All standing committees shall be considered discharged at the end of each chamber year, and all special committees after they have submitted their reports to the board of directors.

Section 7. Resignations from Standing and special committees shall be by letter, addressed to the board of directors. Any member of a standing or special committee failing to attend three consecutive meetings may be considered by the board to have tendered his resignation. Vacancies in any standing or special committees shall be filled by the president, subject to the approval of the board of directors.

Section 8. The executive committee shall be composed of the president and secretary, ex officio, and seven other directors, who shall transact all routine business of the chamber. It shall be authorized to execute all matters prescribed by the board of directors to facilitate its work, and shall have such of the powers of said board as may be delegated to it from time to time.

Section 9. The committee on finance and audit shall suggest ways and means for securing the funds required to carry on the work of the chamber of commerce. It shall, after they have been authenticated by the officer or committee by whom incurred, audit all bills presented for payment from the regular appropriations of the chamber. Such payments shall be made only when authenticated by the committee on finance and audit, whose authorization may be given only when appro-

priations covering such expenditures have first been made by the board of directors. Annually, in the month of December, the committee on finance and audit shall make a careful estimate of the receipts and expenses of the chamber for the ensuing calendar year, and shall submit a statement thereof to the board of directors. The committee shall meet at least once a month, and shall exercise a general supervision over accounts.

Section 10. The committee on trade, commercial and industrial development shall consider all questions pertaining to the fostering and extension of foreign and mainland trade with the port of Honolulu and the Territory of Hawaii, as well as inter-island trade. It shall propose such regulations as may be deemed desirable and expedient in the trade, commercial and industrial interests of the city of Honolulu and said territory. It shall use its best endeavors to foster and encourage new industrial, manufacturing and commercial enterprises in the city of Honolulu and said territory.

Section 11. The committee on maritime affairs, consisting of seven members, shall consider all matters relating to lighthouse work, navigation laws, the development of the harbor, wharves, shipping and docking facilities at the port of Honolulu, and similar improvements at the other ports of the territory of Hawaii, and shall make such recommendations regarding the same as may be deemed necessary. The committee shall have a general supervision of the maritime information collected by the chamber, and shall, from time to time, suggest to the board of directors such changes and additions thereto as will increase its value to members.

Section 12. The committee on agriculture shall endeavor to promote an increased efficiency and knowledge of modern farm methods and consider all matters relating to the disposition of public lands, home-steading and forestry in the Territory of Hawaii, and shall assist in a better development of the rural life and progress of the territory. It shall also co-operate with the public authorities and private enterprises in the extermination of agricultural pests in said territory.

Section 13. The committee on county and municipal affairs shall report on all matters pertaining to city planning, building permits and inspection, municipal art and architecture, the construction and maintenance of roads, sidewalks, bridges and parks, and all other municipal improvements which shall tend to preserve and add to the attractiveness of the city of Honolulu. It shall also consider all questions of local government administration, other than those matters relating to local legislation, health and sanitation and finance.

Section 14. The committee on territorial affairs shall offer suggestions upon the plans for territorial public works and buildings; the erection and maintenance of schoolhouses and other public educational institutions; the construction and maintenance of belt roads and bridges; the operation of water and sewer systems, and other territorial improvements; immigration and labor; and all matters pertaining to the administration of territorial affairs, other than questions of legislation, taxation, finance and health and sanitation.

Section 15. The committee on public finance, taxation and insurance shall consider all questions relating to the administration of the finances of the Territory of Hawaii, and the City and County of Honolulu, such as territorial and municipal budgets, appropriation, bills, bond issues, taxation and property assessments. It shall also suggest measures for the control of fire hazard and the reduction of fire insurance rates in the city of Honolulu.

Section 16. The committee on public health and sanitation shall look into the general sanitary and health conditions of the city of Honolulu, including the inspection, disinfection, fumigation and abatement of communicable diseases and nuisances, and the regulation of public markets; milk inspection; garbage disposal and the quarantine regulations of the port of Honolulu. It shall also aid in the enforcement of the health laws, and particularly those relating to dwellings, in order to determine what practical steps may be taken to make the work of the health department more effective.

Section 17. The committee on legislation shall be called upon to report on questions with respect to proposed and pending legislation affecting the City and County of Honolulu and the Territory of Hawaii, and shall bring to the attention of our lawmakers such legislative enactments as may be deemed most essential to the welfare of the community.

Section 18. The committee on charities and social welfare, composed of seven members, shall develop operation and co-ordination, among the various charitable and benevolent institutions of the city of Honolulu with the object of effecting a more efficient and economical working basis for the dispensing of charity and relief. The committee shall assist the bureau of information of the chamber in aiding in the investigation of soliciting schemes, other than local charities; and further the usefulness of local settlement work. It shall also endeavor into and report from time to time on the condition of prisons, in-

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